

NEW CABINET PLACE IS NOW ASSURED.

National Association of Manufacturers So Advised.

WILL HAVE WIDE SCOPE.

Colonies to Be Directed by the Secretary of Commerce and Industry.

A new Cabinet position—the Secretary of Commerce and Industry—will be created by the next Congress, it is assured.

President McKinley's forthcoming measure will recommend its creation, and the leaders of the dominant party have declared for it.

The agitation for the new Cabinet position was inaugurated by the National Association of Manufacturers some years ago. Each annual session of that powerful body saw the matter debated and reaffirmed, until now the national legislators are convinced that such an office is needed.

Under it the colonial department for the government of the new American colonies will be established and the commerce and industries of those rich islands carefully guarded.

"It really looks now as if our long campaign for a Department of Commerce and Industry would be crowned with success," said ex-Mayor Charles A. Schleren, treasurer of the National Association of Manufacturers.

"Since the organization of our association, a committee, of which I am chairman, and which has had its headquarters in this city, has been constantly working for this new department."

"We have appeared before the Congressional Committee on Commerce, of which Senator Frye was chairman, and have been instrumental in having several committees from other prominent business organizations appear in behalf of the movement before the same committee."

"Since 1880 our association has worked constantly for the establishment of a department of commerce and industry, and has succeeded in gaining the support of nearly every commercial organization in the country."

"At first we met with strong opposition from the West and South, the Senators from those sections claiming such a department was of no value to agriculture and could only work to the benefit of the industrial East."

"We sent out literature and have been successful in converting the West, at least, as is shown by the fact that the National Business League, a Western organization, has taken the bull by the horns and made a personal appeal to the President."

"The proposed department is a recognized necessity. It would facilitate our export trade, remedy many of the present trade evils, and the successful solving of several puzzling commercial problems would be made possible."

"Another great change for the better would be the encouragement of a splendid merchant marine, recognized by all political factions. Our flag is practically unknown abroad, and it is in a high position among the navies of the world. It follows that our merchant ships should have the same position."

"Germany encourages her shipbuilders to build the biggest and fastest vessels in the world, and we are her chief customers. Our naval service, a body of men, improved under the present Administration, would be rapidly placed on the competent and efficient basis of the European systems."

"Every country in Europe long ago recognized the necessity of commercial and industrial departments, while we have been content to leave all commercial and industrial questions to the State and Treasury departments, which are already overtaxed with other business."

"I am confident, with President McKinley's support, together with the backing of the Senate, that our bill will be passed at the next session of Congress."

RABBI ATTACKS THE PRESIDENT.

Declares His Thanksgiving Proclamation Cheapens Religion.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 25.—"We, as religiousists, deprecate a document which joins church and State, and proclaims the President High Priest. He is not entitled to the privilege of calling the people together in prayer. It is cheapening religion and it is wrong to use such a document for extolling the achievements of a party."

This morning Rabbi Charles Finkelstein thus attacked President McKinley's Thanksgiving proclamation. Rabbi Finkelstein read the entire proclamation before a gathering of his congregation.

He said: "President McKinley's attitude is nearly parallel to that of the hapless Emperor of Germany, as evidenced in 'Hoch der Kaiser!' When the President allows himself to issue such a proclamation, we as religiousists, must protest. Let us pray to-day that our chief executives do not think that God is smiling on them where personal and selfish motives lead them."

"We are religiousists and we must be sure that God is smiling on them where personal and selfish motives lead them."

"400" AT A BIG HUNT AND BREAKFAST AT HEMPSTEAD.

Samuel Willets Entertains at One of the Season's Successful Runs—Only One Cropper.

Hempstead, L. I., Nov. 25.—New York's "Four Hundred" were guests of Samuel Willets to-day at his handsome country seat at Old Westbury. The party first followed the hounds of the Meadowbrook Hunt Club and then were entertained at a hunt breakfast.

There was only one fall during the entire run of ten miles. J. C. Lynch Smith came a cropper, but was not hurt. The hounds kept the trail through the woods, and the party a chase for seven miles and finally captured bunny. To-day's run was the largest attended this season.

Two Wags for Cost of One.

November 25, the Lackawanna Railroad will sell tickets from New York to Niagara Falls and return for one fare; and to return to and including December 4.

DR. LOWRY, FAMOUS HYMN WRITER, DEAD.

No. 3. *I Need Thee Every Hour.*

MRS. ANNIE S. HAWKS. REV. ROBERT LOWRY, By per.

Without Me ye can do nothing.—John 15: 5.

I need Thee ev'ry hour, Most gra-cious Lord, No ten-der-voice like
I need Thee ev'ry hour; Stay Thou near by; Temp-ta-tions lose their
I need Thee ev'ry hour, In joy or pain; Come quick-ly and a-

The Rev. Dr. Lowry, Noted Hymn Composer, Dead.

He was seventy-three years old, and although an able preacher, he devoted the greater part of his life to the writing of hymns and music for them. His reputation was world-wide. Among his more notable compositions were "Shall We Gather at the River," "I Need Thee Every Hour," "Where Is My Wandering Boy To-night?" and "Weeping Will Not Save Me." He died in his home, in Plainfield, N. J., yesterday.

His Compositions Known Throughout the Christian World, Chief Among Them Being "Shall We Gather at the River" and "I Need Thee Every Hour."

The Rev. Dr. Robert Lowry, one of the best known writers of religious songs in the world, died in his home yesterday in Plainfield, N. J. He was seventy-three years old.

Although Dr. Lowry attained much reputation as a preacher, his great reputation is based upon his musical compositions. Wherever the Christian religion has penetrated these songs of Dr. Lowry's are sung: "I Need Thee Every Hour," "Shall We Gather at the River," "Where Is My Wandering Boy To-night?" and "Weeping Will Not Save Me."

Dr. Lowry was born in Philadelphia, in March, 1826. He received a common school education and engaged in secular business for a time, but in 1848 he entered the university in Lewisburg, Pa., as a theological student, and was graduated in six years.

ACTRESS SUES HER HUSBAND'S FATHER

Miss Huestis Says He Has Alienated the Young Man's Affections.

Mrs. Caroline R. Graves, of No. 334 West Forty-eighth street, has begun an action through her attorney, A. H. Hummel, against her father-in-law, Quarus Graves, to recover \$50,000 for the alienation of her husband's affections.

Mrs. Graves was married on January 2 last to Frederick R. Graves, by the Rev. Charles H. Kerr, of Jersey City Heights.

Quarus Graves, the defendant in the suit, is the proprietor of the Hotel Cadillac, at Broadway and Forty-eighth street.

Mrs. Graves is an actress, and was formerly known as Carolyn Minerva Huestis. She played in the "Telephone Girl" company at the Casino during the season of 1897-1898.

Mrs. Graves says in her complaint that she was during this engagement in the habit of dining at the Hotel Cadillac, where she first met and fell in love with her husband.

She asserts that she gave up her stage life at the express wish of her husband, and lived with him at various places in this city, particularly at her present home, which was furnished for them by her father-in-law.

Mrs. Graves says that the morning her husband left her he kissed her affectionately and wished her good-by, but would not tell her where he was going. She expected him home that night. As he never came she has instituted her action against his father.

STATE SCHOOLS COST LESS THIS YEAR THAN IN 1898.

Teachers Have Been Paid More, but Other Expenditures Have Fallen Off.

Albany, Nov. 25.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction Charles R. Shinn has completed the school statistics of the State, which will form a part of his annual report to the Legislature in January.

They show that the total expenditures in the State for educational purposes during the school year 1898 were \$28,062,900, a decrease of \$422,881.

MEN PROWL

Because Uneasy.

PEACE COMES WITH GOOD FOOD.

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GRAPE-NUTS

SOLD BY GROCERS.

MEAT FED TO HORSES.

"Animal food, unless mixed with at least four-fifths of vegetable products, is apt to produce irritable temper and chronic restlessness. Wherever experiments have succeeded in accustoming horses to a diet of flesh food, the results were attested by torn bridles and smashed stable doors. Carnivorous men begin to prowl to ease the feeling of gastric discomfort, and if deprived of that remedy, become fretful and vindictive, especially when the causes of nervous derangements have been complicated by other stimulants," writes Dr. Felix Oswald.

Like produces like, therefore the nervous dyspeptic should seek food from the peaceful and nutritious grains of the field.

Grape-Nuts made of wheat and barley most skillfully blended and manufactured, furnish a food, fully and perfectly cooked; and supplies the highest form of nourishment, combined with delicious flavor. Grape-Nuts are sold by all first-class grocers, and made at Battle Creek, Mich., by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.

PAUNCEFOTE PLANS FOR TITLED GUESTS

Marriage of the Ambassador's Daughter in February.

BRITONS COMING HERE.

Society Folk Invited to See Her Wed to the English Embassy's Secretary.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Lord and Lady Pouncefote have invited a distinguished company of house guests for February in honor of the marriage of their youngest daughter, the Hon. Lillian Pouncefote, and Mr. Robert Bromley, Honorable Secretary of the Embassy. Those who will arrive from England in time for the occasion include Sir Henry and Lady Bromley, parents of the groom-elect, and his brother, Mr. Maurice Bromley Wilson, of Dailam Towers, in Westmorland, the name of Wilson having been taken with the inherited estates of his cousin, the late Lord Wilson, by direct descent.

Miss Esther Bromley, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Curzon and Miss Sargent, who will act as attendants at the marriage, and Colin Curzon, a cousin of Lady Curzon, formerly Miss Lett, will be of the house party.

It is the present intention of Lord and Lady Pouncefote to arrange the date of the marriage for the first week in February to accommodate her guests.

The ceremony will be performed by Dr. Mackay-Smith, rector of St. John's, P. B. Church, where the family have occupied a pew since their first coming to Washington. In conformity with the English custom the bridal procession will be headed by the bride, followed by her attendants, Miss Audrey Pouncefote completing the list.

The costumes of the maid will be specially effective and beautiful, consisting of pale blue silk with black velvet hats trimmed with Parma violets, each carrying a bouquet of the same flowers, tied with long streamers of violet satin ribbon.

There will be no regular ushers, but members of the Embassy will take charge of the seating of the guests in the church.

Mr. Maurice Bromley probably will act as best man.

The wedding gown will be a marvel of set's and lace, full court train, with long tulle veil fastened with orange blossoms. Mr. Bromley and his bride will visit his ancestral estates, Stoke Hall, Newark, Nottingham, England, one of the most beautiful of English homes. Another family estate, Ashwell, Rutland County, is among the list.

The Hon. Lillian, the bride-elect, is the youngest of the four sisters, noted for her beauty and charm of manner. She is of pure English type, tall and graceful, with dark brown, waving hair, worn high from the forehead in the prevailing style. She is a fine wheelwoman and delights in outdoor exercise.

When the case against Lawyers Fulton McMahon and Edward L. Heydecker, of No. 111 Broadway, accused of deceit and collusion by Ignatius Wolmer, of No. 206 Broadway, was called in the Centre Street Police Court yesterday, before Magistrate Mayo, there were in attendance a dozen members

of the City Club as well as a strong array of counsel on both sides.

The offence charged is alleged to have been committed while the accused lawyers had charge of the property of one Aranzewetz, who died in 1895, leaving an estate of about \$5,000.

Charges drew back and forth as long as the case was on trial. Simeon Sterne, lawyer for the defence, early protested against the proceeding, which, he said, was brought purposely to malign the characters of the accused.

Assistant District Attorneys Le Barbier and Byrne both denied that venom had been injected in the proceedings by the District Attorney's office. Mr. Byrne, in going over the history of the case, declared that the accused lawyers had expended nearly the entire Aranzewetz estate in useless and unnecessary litigation. B. A. Alexander, for the prosecution, specifically charged that the accused lawyers kept \$3,133 per cent of the estate for their services. Personal accusations frequently interrupted the reading of documents introduced as evidence.

The case was adjourned until 10 o'clock next Saturday.

Robbed by Three Men in a Chicago Street Car.

Business Man Relieved of \$200 He Had Just Dran from Bank.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Three men set upon F. M. Bingham, of the firm of H. T. Merritt, & Co., on a North Clark street car, at Washington and Dearborn streets, at noon to-day. They secured a wallet containing \$200.

Mr. Bingham went to the First National Bank and drew \$200. Three young men took seats near him on the car.

At Washington street one of the men swung along the footboard. At the same time the other two jostled Mr. Bingham, and he felt a hand in his inside coat pocket. The thieves leaped from the car and escaped.

Game Ends in a Fight.

Sunbury, Pa., Nov. 25.—The Dickinson-Susquehanna football game here to-day ended in a fight, and the umpire awarded the game to Dickinson.

STATE OFFICIAL IS BULLET PROOF.

J. D. Haselden, It Is Said by Enemies, Wears Steel Plates.

RAN ANYWAY, THEY SAY.

South Carolina Has a Sensation in Charges That Haselden Fled from Shot.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 25.—J. Dudley Haselden, member of the State Board of Dispensary Control, has been accused of cowardice, of running from fire and of wearing a steel breast plate.

The charges are made in the State, a newspaper, by Ben B. Sellers and John C. Sellers, with whom Haselden and his party had an encounter at Sellers Depot. It is charged that Haselden took refuge in a cabin. His brother, Luther M. Haselden, admits running under the depot.

This morning the Sellers produced statements from J. F. Spears, Enos Powell and Carl Matthews that Haselden had two breast plates made of steel at the Marlon Iron Works, where they are employed. The proprietor, Mr. McDuffie, declines to deny the statement. Each of the breast plates weighed twelve pounds, and the charge is made that Haselden was seen to remove one after the encounter.

His friends here are thunderstruck. Haselden's position as a State official makes this a sensation here. Haselden is a cousin of the late Governor Ellerbe and of J. E.

Ellerbe, who bitterly opposed Representative Norton for his seat. Sellers is a brother-in-law of Norton.

It is feared there will be serious trouble as a result of the charges.

PEANUT ROASTER BLEW UP.

Explosion Badly Scalded Boy and Girl Attendants.

A peanut roaster owned by Lul Basso exploded in North Park, L. I., last evening. The hot water in the vessel severely scalded Basso's son and daughter, who were standing close to the roaster. The boy may lose the sight of one of his eyes.

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